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PATENT

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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Kuroda et al.	Conf.:	9554
Appl. No.:	09/545,172	Group:	2613
Filed:	April 6, 2000	Examiner:	Allen Wong
For:	IMAGE ENCODING DEVICE AND IMAGE DECODING DEVICE		

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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September 30, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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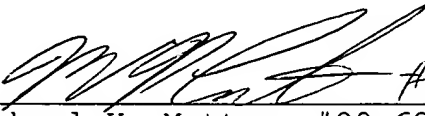
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